The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

EDUCATION

Senator Legg, Chair Senator Montford, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 12, 2013

TIME: 2:00 —4:30 p.m.

Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building PLACE:

Senator Legg, Chair; Senator Montford, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Brandes, Bullard, Galvano, Sachs, Simmons, and Stargel **MEMBERS:**

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 284 Negron (Identical H 369)	Student Safety; Requiring district school board policies to list the emergency response agencies that are responsible for notifying the school district of emergencies; requiring the emergency response agencies to notify private schools in the school district under certain circumstances, etc. ED 03/12/2013 Favorable MS	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
2	SB 454 Benacquisto (Similar CS/H 399)	Florida College System Police Officers; Providing for mutual aid agreements involving Florida College System police officers; providing for enforcement of traffic laws in certain areas by Florida College System police officers; revising provisions relating to the jurisdictional authority of Florida College System police officers, etc. ED 03/12/2013 Fav/CS CJ	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
3	SB 514 Sobel (Identical H 873, Compare H 1175)	Public School Safety; Citing this act as the "School Safety Act"; authorizing each county to create an independent special district by ordinance to provide funding for public school security and mental health services; requiring elector approval to annually levy ad valorem taxes; creating a governing council for the district; basing the size of the council on the population of the county, etc. ED 03/12/2013 Favorable CA AFT AP	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 1

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4	SB 626 Bullard (Identical H 609)	Bullying in the Public School System; Revising provisions prohibiting bullying or harassment of a student or school employee through the use of computer-related activities; providing that bullying includes cyberbullying; requiring that each school district include in its districtwide policy instruction on recognizing behaviors that lead to bullying and harassment and taking appropriate preventive action, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 1
		ED 03/12/2013 Fav/CS JU RC	
5	SB 680 Evers (Compare H 7057, S 1720)	Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program; Repealing provisions relating to student eligibility requirements for an initial award and each renewal award under the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program, etc.	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
		ED 03/12/2013 Favorable AED AP RC	
6	SB 920 Detert	State University System; Requiring tuition and fees assessed to an undergraduate student to remain constant and not exceed the rate assessed upon initial enrollment under specified circumstances, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
		ED 03/12/2013 Fav/CS AED AP	
7	SB 1720 Galvano (Compare H 7057, S 680, CS/S 1076)	College Instruction; Revising actions to be taken by the Legislative Auditing Committee relating to audits of state universities and Florida College System institutions; requiring the State Board of Education to specify the college credit courses that may be taken by Florida College System institution students who are concurrently participating in developmental education; establishing a collaborative partnership between the Board of Governors and the Legislature to elevate the academic and research preeminence of this state's highest performing state research universities; establishing the Complete Florida Degree Program to recruit, recover, and retain adult learners and assist them in completing degrees aligned to high-wage, high-skill workforce needs, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
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TAB	OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HOME CITY)	FOR TERM ENDING	COMMITTEE ACTION
	Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hear named executive appointment to the office inc	ring will be held for consideration of the below- dicated.	
	State Board of Education		
8	Bradshaw, Sara "Sally" S. (Havana)	12/31/2013	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0
•	Board of Governors of the State University	System	
9	Levine, Alan M. (Naples)	01/06/2020	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0
•	Board of Trustees, University of Florida		
10	Corr, Christopher T. (Lake Lure)	01/06/2016	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0
•	Board of Trustees, University of North Flor	ida	
11	Pincomb, Myron W. (Ponte Vedra)	01/06/2016	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0
·	Board of Trustees, University of West Flori	ida	
12	Walton, Garrett W. (Pensacola)	01/06/2016	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0
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